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Decatur, III., May 6, 1879—d&wlmo

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of SOLOMON P. PURDY, Dec d DUREUC NOTICE is hereby given to all per-E cose having claims and demands against the estate of Solomion P. Purdy, decoased, to present the same for adjudication and set lement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Manday of October, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, III. Aug. 18th, A. D. 1879

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Try a sack of Shellabarger's "White Loaf"-new patent process flour Dec 18-dewif

### Died in His Own Tunnel

New York Hersid

At the Interoceanic Canal Congress lately held in Paris there sat among the leaders of the enterprise there brought together a noticable gray-haired man, with keen eyes and a melancholy look constantly upon his face. The company gathered round to congratulate him upon the approaching successful termination of one of the greatest engineering achievments of the century. He had been its head and front, and received the congratulations as a just reward of his labor. Then, turning to a friend at his left. "I have worked all my life," said he, "for a little renown and a little wealth, and now, in the moment of my triumph, I find that neither is worth what it has cost me. Indeed, the only use of the money I have made is to help those who are less strong or less happy. The speaker was Louis Favre, of Geneva contractor of the famous St. Gothard Tunnel, which has just entered upon its eighth and last year of construction. He went stright from the Congress of Airole, at the tunnel's mouth, and was showing the levels to a French engineer, on the morning of Saturday, July when he suddenly complained of cramp, called for a glass of water, and fell down dead His body was taken to Geneva, and all the poor of his village and canton, who ow'd much to his charity, swelled the funeral procession of statesmen and men of science that passed along the quiet shore of Lake Lemar. "He died on the field of honor," said an orator at the tomb, "he was killed in his own tunnel

### Bob Among the Berries

Letter from Burdette in Burlington Hawkeye And the berries and vines and shrubs that grow up here, that are good to mbble, to chew, and to eat. I had a long tramp of five or mx miles a few days ago, and my guide fairly filled me up with berries. I escaped many black berries, because they are not ripe in New Brunswick. They are just about out of blossom. But I had lets of rasp berries, and the guide fed me some lit tle snow white berries that grow on a tiny vine, close to the ground, "tea ber-ries" he called them, and he fed me some cranberries, that were free and decidedly cranberrish, although they had been ripe and growing out all last winter, he made me browse on winter green and gave me wild pears for a change, and sarsaparilla berries for a relish, and pigeon berries for appetizors, and I don't know how many other kinds that I have forgotten the names of. Presently he handed me a stalk with a cluster of pale blue berries on it, and

"Have you ever seen any of these?" "Now, I was full of all sorts of berries, ripe and green, sweet, sour and spicy, and I didn't want any more But I was too cowardly to say so, so I took a coward's refuge I had. I said "Oh, yes, yes, I ate a whole handful of them a little while ago"

My guide stood stock still and stared at me in open mouthed, speechless At length he found amazement

"Good Lord! They're pisen! Pisen as

death. They're snake bermes!" Then I examined them very critically

and said "No, I was mistaken, it was another kind of berry" And he soon ascertained that what I had eaten was

"Don't you eat nothing until you show it to me first," he said in warning tones And I humbly said that I wouldn't.

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count of the very small profits July 19-dawif Lann & Scauces

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Notice of Resignation of Administrator.

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In the County Court to the September Term, A D. 1879.

In the matter of the estate of NAMOV M. IACCH, Deceased

I NO. A.I.I. PERSONS interested in said estate take notice, that at the September term of said court to be holden at the Court House in Becatur, commencing on the 3rd Mousiny of September, A. D. 1879, and on Trueslay, the second day of said term, or as acconting the second day of said term, or as acconting the court my resignation of the offse of administrator of said catate, and will curier my molions for an order of said catate, and will curier my molions for an order of said court my resignation and that I may be dischanged from the further excelse of my said office at said and interest or the further excelse of my said office at said and interest or the make your objections if you are it.

GEORGE E. LATCH, Administrator fleet for Administrator.

If Pasco, Attorney, [secatur, August 25, 1979—41w

ST NICHOLAS HOTEL, N. LAUX & BRO., Preprietors,

South side of the Old Square, Decator, Litte March 15, 1878--- d&w

Decator, III., Aug. 18th, A. D. 1879
SABAR A PURDY, Executrix
Aug. 15-48-6

THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 28, 1879.

Thereofra & Degaine temphip will on next Thesday, September 2d, be called upon to decide whether the bold indebtedness of the town of the country. (\$60,000) shall be refunded at w lower Mississippi the present writer knew of rate of interest. It will be remembered thereinis name proposition was voted up is May, and decided affirmatively, but informality in the proceedings there a doubt upon the legality of the elamion, and, in order to make everythe perfectly accure, it was decided authorities to hold the election The importance of this election need not be set forth, as it is apparent to in. The bondeness hear eight per cent, interest, requiring an annual tax of \$1,000. At mix per cent. (the rate of the proposed new bonds) the tax levy for the payment of the interest will be \$3,000, a saving of \$1,000. The scheme proposed also incitales a proposition to begin paying off ally recognized the pistol as a perfectly the principal, after five years, at the proper and necessary means of conductrate of All of year, after which, for the task the annual payment of principal will be \$3,000, and then \$5,000 per year until all is paid, the last payment to be in twenty years from the issue of the bonds. It is to be happed that the effection will call out

THE SHOOTING OF DIXON.

to the base of the blowing, as the dy-statement of the murdered Dixon, at

"I was walking down street, near Housemarie's saloon, and the first thing I knew was that I was shot. Wheeling round and mas pointed at me from every remini and I turned and ran up a stairway, when Jim Barksdale shot me in the back, basing already broken my the stairs and fell. I then drew my pistol and, with one hand holding to the steps, fired my pistol with the Michiel that had the broken wrist and broken finger. The attack Yalli Bresched on my part. I ted the assassination of Barksdale. I wishe The Ruckelde was here to see how a brave man can die.

A Yazeo correspondent of the same paper contributes the following additional statement with reference to the

"Disease with shot five times in the back, the bullet is the front. There are thirteen shotgus bullet holes in the back of his coat. Dixon lived from 9 o'clocks in the, morning until 4:30 in the anding. He baves a wife and six he lies a little children. If he had had had have left his the effectives feared this, and did not mish him to limit the little and li did not wish him to live until the meet-ied of the Helependents next day. The Democrats openly boast that Barks-dale will be acquitted from any blame in the shooting of Dixon. A plot was ous, but he circumvented it by going taken by him."

Rowland Hill, the father of the penny postage system in England, died sametanlar, aged 84.

Chastesfield said, and thousands reecho the cry, that no one is excusable for hingson tof the fashion, but we'd like to know what the deace a man is todb who has married when blondes were the style.

lowa City, Aug. 27.—The sale of short horn cattle by Hon. S. W. Mc-Cune, of this county, to day, was largely attended, and the prices paid are said to have been satisfactory. About eighty head were sold, a majority of the animals being bought by parties in this State. There were about 1,000 persons in alterdance.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The Treasury Department purchased to day 670,000 ounces of silver bullion for the mint at Philadelphia. The offers for delivery at the Western mints were above the market rates, and were declined.

### We Guarantee

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Igong Mon can find the largest variety of fan shoes in the city at Barber & Baher's. They make a specialty of men's Jone 19 d&wif further.

THE PISTOL AND SHOT-GUN.

Secial Condition of Mississippi-A State in Which There is Still a Large Admixture of Barbarium.

An editorial writer in the New York Evening Post, speaking of "the social condition of Mississippi" in connection with the recent assassination at Yazoo City, says :

"Persons who are acquainted with the state of things in Mississippi, as the present writer is, knows that civilization there is much lower, very much nearer akin to savagery, than in any other part During a residence of many months in

no court day or other occasion of the sort which did not bring with it at least one affray with pistols at the county seat. These affairs usually occurred in the immediate neighborhood of the court house, and they very frequently resulted in the killing of one or the other of the combatants-sometimes in the shooting of unlucky bystanders.-Every man carried a large pistol under his coat tails, and it was universally understood that when men came to high wollds each would draw his pistol and commence firing. This was quite as much a matter of course as it is for the batteries of an army in position to open fire whenever the enemy advances in line of battle. Without being quite ready to formulate the opinion in words, the public of Mississippi genering a dispute to its settlement. Men fought with pistols when the hogs of one trespassed upon the fields of the They shot each other because other they could not agree upon the amount of small deb s. Pratols were used to determine the smallest points of difference. Up n one occasion two men shot their pistols empty at each other within fifty yards of a court house, and managed without hurting each other, to lodge a bullet in the person of a man in the postoffice. The combatants were arrested, fined for disturbing the peace and discharged. Within an hour they met at the court house door, in the centre of a crowd, and straightway opened fire again. One of them fell, mortally wounded; the other had three bullets in his flesh, but not seriously hurt. The court exacted bonds of him to keep the peace and to await the result of his autagonist's wounds; but although he was afterwards tried, he received no punish ment whatever. This quarrel was about

### PERSONS AND THINGS.

That De Young bullet is still roam ing around in Kalloch's body.

Thomas Carlyle has an income of \$4,000 a year from his copyrights.

Ex-Senator Dorsey, of Arkansas, made \$200,000 recently in mining Ben. Butler has a larger law practice

than any man outside of New York city.

John Ennis, the pedestrian, is in Newport making arrangements for a walking match.

The parents of the late Bayard Taylor have been on a visit to Burlington N. J. His father is 86 years old and

The English workingmen think they will be obliged to come to this country as a means of relief from continued misfortune at home.

A girl in Louisville, Ky., has been married twice to the same man and separated from him twice, and still she bome & different route than that usually is but 16. Isn't she living a little

> nation of force, cunning and cruelty. In public it always wears a smirk. Those the withdrawal of legal tenders from curving who wish to curry favor with Mr. Tilbert business, you will please receive from such depositories called bands to be den miscall it a smile.

Madame Grevy, the wife of the French President travels in the simplest manner. She takes great pains to pass unperceived, notwithstanding the trouble taken to do her a rather os tentatious homage.

Emmons Blaine, the second son of the senator, is on the stump in Maine, and is doing good work. He is a grad uate of Harvard. Next week he will speak to the French Canadians on the upper St. Johns in their own language.

Prince Bismarck will remain at Gas tein until September, and then go to his paternal estates at Varzin. The general opinion is that his loag holiday First National Bank and the National is devoted to the preparation of a new grand national policy, of which Russia cause the Bank of Commerce made the will be the first victim.

The unveiling of the Custer monument at West Point, on the 30th inst , will draw together many of the companions in arms of the late General Custer, among whom will be General George B. McClellan, General Sherman General Sheridan, together with the surviving officers of Custer's command.

Nelson Hamblin, Treasurer of the Brooklyn Tabernacle Board of Trustees, has resigned, as he says, because of his disagreement with the rest of the board For all of this the Government is seon account of the mortgage placed upon cured by a deposit of a larger amount the organ for the purpose of raising money to pay for Talmadge's European trip. His resignation has been accepted.

THE Nationalist goeth to Maine to get cornered. Colonel Harper said at neeting in Gardiner: "I'm so confident, change, and are daily being paid by the that resumption is a failure that I will transmission of called bonds in the orgive \$100 to the man who will show dinary course of business. None of the one instance of a manufacturer paying outstanding bonds bear interest. his hands in gold." Thereupon a manufacturer got up and said that he had paid his hands in gold for three months. ble for me to have continued to drain Harper declined to consider the subject the money market of legal tenders, and he is closing out his stock at cost

# SECRETARY SHERMAN.

**TELEGRAPHIC** 

His Speech at Cincinnati.

YELLOW FEVER NEWS.

KALLOCH'S CONDITION.

CINCINNATI, O., August 27.—Secretary Sherman to day visited the Mer-chants' Exchange, and, after being in-troduced by Vice President Cunningham, spoke as follows : GENTLEMEN-I am deeply grateful

to you for your kind reception in this busy must of commerce, and I know there is but little time except for the exchange of courtesies. I, however, wish to make a purely business statement, relating to a matter in which you, in common with other business men, are interested. Complaint has been made of the recent order of the Treasury Department extending somewhat the time for the withdrawal from national bank depositories of the proceeds ciation will meet the 2nd day of Sepof the sale of 4 per cent bonds. I did tember to consider a proposal for a furthis after a full examination of the ther reduction in wages. The masters matter, and am firmly of the opinion that, if I had not done so, serious in ation of the depression in trade is absojury to business would have been the lutely necessary, but a general reducresult. The refunding operations of tion is not likely to take place. A the Government have been uniformly correspondent at Dedham says in the so conducted as to interfere as little as possible with the money market or with is no telling what extreme measures private business. The object has been they may adopt. to make the exchange of 4 per cent. bonds for 5 and 6 per cent bonds, either directly or by credit through the national bank depositories authorized for that purpose. With this view, notice was publicly given that the prececels of the 1 per cent. bonds would not be called for until needed to pay manufacturer, who died six miles east for called bonds, which could only be paid when presented after the ninety days' notice required by law. When, however, the refunding operations ceased on the 21st of July, it was the desire of the Treasury Department to close the loan accounts as soon as possible. Believing that the called bonds would be presented by the 1st of September, I directed the Treasurer to draw upon the depository banks for money as fast as needed to meet the called bonds, and, at all events, to close the accounts from September 1 to the 14th, and he was acting on this order when I returned from the North early in August, and under it over \$300,000,000 called bonds were paid for, but the called bonds had not been presented as

anticipated. On the 13th of September the amount of called bonds outstanding was about \$65,000,000, but only about \$38,000,000 remained on deposit with \$16,000,000 in excess of the sum wanted to meet the payment of called bonds had been withdrawn into the treasury from the market, with a view to closing the loan accounts. At the time stated general complaint was made that this operation was injuriously affecting business; was advancing the rate of interest, and was unnecessarily draining legal tenders from the market. To meet this condition of affairs, upon the advice of the Treasurer at Washington, and the Assistant Treasurer at

New York, I issued this order: TREASURY DEPARTMENT, August 13. Hon. James Gilfillan, Treasurer of the United States: Sir.—With a view to closing as soon as practicable the ac-Tilden's face is described as a combi-counts of the department with depository banks on lean account, without unnecesdeposits on loan account on or before the of October next. The letter of the department of March 26 is modified ac-

cordingly. Very respectfully, (Sigued) John Shriman, Secretary The statement that this was done to

relieve the banks or to help any one, or that I ever had been or was interested in any bank, are false, made with out any foundation or excuse, but as a political sensation. The reason why the unsettled accounts are with the Bank of Commerce, New York, is be-\$40,000,000 subscription closing the 5 20s, and the First National Bank made the subscription of \$12,000,000 closing the 10 20s, and these being the last subscriptions are naturally the last

drawn upon. I have received a statement of the balances on the evening of Saturday last, showing that the amount of outstanding called bonds unpaid was then \$48,925,253 61. The amount of deposits with national banks, the proceeds of the bonds sold, was \$32.947.613 51 of United States bonds. Where the 1 per cent, bonds are taken as security an additional margin of 5 per cent, is required. About \$10,000,000 of these bonds are held by Mr. Conant, the United States agent in London, for ex-

I submit to you whether, on the 13th of August, it would have been advisaheard them in the Treasury to await 23-dif

the presentation of called bouds. If ust, and stand by it, and now under it adjournment they dispersed quietly. the loan accounts are being quietly and rapidly closed, without any disturbance in the money market. If this orange will only induce the holders of the called bonds to send them in for payment, I would be greatly rejoiced.

London, Aug. 27.—The Financier says American food purchases are now beginning to be estimated at amounts considerable in excess of those thought of a week or ten days ago and softwithstanding the purchases of dren and other manufactures the conviction prevails that gold will be taken in payment to a considerable amount. It is known that large amounts of bills against wheatshipments with the usual 60 days to run have been steadily accumulating during the last month.

The Times says there was monaidemand for silver for India pesterday, and a larger enquiry for the Continent. About 80,000 pounds worth was received from South America and sold. The Oldham spinners declare for a

systematic emigration if a reduction in their wages continue, and recommend limitation of production for the present improvement of trade.

The Manchester Guardian says the executive committee of the north and northern Lancashire Master's Assoallege that some step toward the allevipresent temper of the operatives there

MEMPHIS, Aug. 27,-Three new cases were reported to the Board of Health this morning.
Six deaths have been reported, three

of whom were colored. Among the whites was James Roosa, a well-known of the city, on the Raleigh road.

The weather continues to grow

Twenty-two cases to all-ten white and twelve colored—were reported to the Board of Health to-day. Among the number were Sophia Zivefel, J. II. Purdell, Nellie Fazzi, G. W. Mathews, Thos. McElroy and wife. Four additional deaths have occurred-W. F. Oltman, Peter M. Kelive, Thos. Me-Elroy and Mary Alien.

The Howard Association to day assigned twenty-five nurses to duty. The thermometer has ranged between 65 deg. and 85 deg.
The Ancient Order of United Work-

men's retief committees appeal to their brethren in Tennessee for aid.

T. D. Wright, a member of the State Board of Health, and inspecting officer of the National Board, arrived to-night at Bartlett, Tenn. He proposes coming into the city to-morrow, and return the national bank depositories. Over to Memphis via the Memphis & Charleston railroad.

CAMBRIDGE, O., Aug. 27 .- General Ewing at the soldiers' reaniou to-day discussed the State's Rights theory. He blamed the South for its radical views upon it, in which they held the right to secode, and the North for its extremeness in opposition, which lead them to some acts unauthorized by the Constitution, and which teaded to incite the South. The war, he believed, settled the question, and he did not believe that there were one thousand sane men in the country who believed in the right of secession.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 13.-Gen. Grant has returned to the capital since the hopiery and gloves, go to last dispatch, and has started on a new may 10 d&wul excursion to Kawakura, the ancient seat of the military government, and, in the neighborhood of the mountain range from such depositories cancel bonds to be credited when passed through the loan division. You will require from such depositories sufficient money, in addition to the cailed bonds credited, to meet all demands for the payment of called bonds, and so as to insure the withdrawal of all deposits on loan account on or before the domestic policy. The confidence and reliance manifested by the Government and people are wholly unprecedented .-General Grant will return to Tokio Cloves, and all new goods at the old low August 19. After exchanging weries of formal visits, he will sail for America on the next mail steamer.

A movement is in progress for the formation of a new society, having in view the extension of a protecting influence for the Eastern nations against the perpetual aggressions of European powers. The organizations will doubtless be complete before the departure of General Grant, who has consented to support it actively and warmly.

NEW ORLEADS, Aug. 27-Dr. S M. Bemis reports to day, officially, to the Board of Health that Gen. J. B. Hood and his daughter, Lydia Hood, aged ten years, are both down with yellow fever, on Third, near Annunciation street. The child was taken sick yesterday, and the General this morning. Dr. Bemis is the family physician in

SARATOGA, Aug. 27 .- The examination of Jewett, receiver of the Eric railway, brought out the fact that when he was offered the presidency of the road he stipulated that he should be paid in cash \$150,000, being a guarantee of \$15,000 yearly for ten years; besides this he was entitled by agreement to receive \$25,000, payable annually. These terms were agreed to, and he was paid the \$150,000 when the court appointed him receiver. His salary was fixed at \$40,000 being really a salary in all of \$55,000.

Whatels' is the place to buy shoes cheap;

FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.-With the the presentation of called bonds. If this course had been adopted the exception of vigorous attack on the clamor would have been much louder and much more just. I did exactly inguise to night developed right in the order of the 13th of Aug.

The reports of Kalloch's condition

considered in a fair way for recovery.

ordinance over the veto of the mayor The opponents of the Holly system are taking measures to enjoin the council from contracting with the Holly comnany. , WHAT ARE THE PROFITS P

chief interest in every business trancac-tion. By the combination system of operaling in stocks, Messis. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, N. Y, unite the orders of thousands of patrons, in various sums, into one immense amount, and operate them as a might; whole, thus obtaining all the advantages of the largest capitalists and best skill. Profits are distributed pro rate among shareholders every month In this way large gains are secured in short periods, and capital from \$10 or \$15 to \$50,000 can be used with equal propor-tionate success. \$20 will make \$100 in to \$50,000 to 50 see a factor of \$100 in \$0 days, \$150 will pay \$1,500 profit, or 10 per cent. on the stock, and so on, acording to the market. A citizen of Troy maid \$315.75 on an investment of \$50. Many customers are doing better. The new circular has "two unerring rules for success," and full details so that any one can operate profitably. Stocks and bonds wanted. Government bonds supplied. Apply to Lawrence & Co. Bankers, 57 Evchange Place, N.Y.

Is you want the bast low price Corset in the market, ask for the "Victor," at

The Comfort Patent Cornet-Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moo dy's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at

One hundred doz. ladies and childrens' iose, at 5 cents a pair, just received by IANN & BURUGGS mi9d&wif

Mme. Demorest's Reliable Patterns the instructive "What to Wear," 15 cts Linn & Seniuos

rooms on second floor in a new dwelling house almost opposite the Decatur high school, on East North street. Enquire of Mrs. W. H. Fanning, on the premises.

A rew mpre of those three dollar Silk Bun Umbrellas, at the New York Store, will be closed out at \$1.50 rach.

THOUGH THEY MAY OBSTINATELY REsist the action of other external remedies, ulcers containing proud flesh, swellings, tumors, leprous granulations and scrofulous sores speedily heal under the purifying and southing influence of HENRY's Camposic Salve, the promptest and most efficient topical application ever discovered or used. It is believed that there is no chronic sore or cruption that may not

gist (23 d&w1w Positively this is the last week at Wessels' shoe store for bargains. Call at aug25 d2t

THE COURSE at our house are equal if not superior to the best offered and sold in the city of Decatur, and ladies who are desirous of obtaining the best goods for the least money will find it to their interest to look at our consets, examine and price them before purchasing.

If you want the best and cheapest Linn & Scruggs'.

Every Lady who desires a neat fitting shoe should my D. W Wright's Roches-

Calicos, Sheetings, Tickings, Cherlois, Table Linens, Dress Goods, Coracts, prices at the Popular New York Store ! Aug 20-dAwif

Eveny one in want of good butter and fine groceries, should go to E. B. Pratt's, 37 North Church street, and when there you can peach se wood in large or small gu adrius to suit

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you in he supplied at HHELLABARGER'S, Dec. 18 - dawif

Try a sark of Shellabarger's "White Land  $^{n}$  — new notions unacess than  $\tau$ . Dec. 18-datwif

SHERIFF'S SALE.

DY virtue of a cer'ain writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of C. P. Thatcher and against David Kanfman, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots No. eleven it and twoire (12), in 8. 8. Jack's Addition to Decatur. in Ma on county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said David Kanfman, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon County, in said State, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1879, at two o'clock p. m. of said day, for each in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Aug 28 d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

Estate of ARTHUR J GALI AGHER, Dec'd. DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Arthur J. Gallagher, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settle-ment at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court Rouse, in the city of Decaure, on the second Monday of October, A.J.D. 1879, being the first day of said term. Decatur, Hb., July 25, A. D. 1879, HACHAEL R. GALLAGHER, Aug. 9-d3w Executrix.

continue to be more favorable.

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OMAHA, Aug. 27.—The council this morning passed the Holly water works

This is the absorbing point that is of

Linn & Scruggs'. May 10-d&wtf

Jan. 23-dewif Linn & Schugos'.

and Portfolios, 15 cents, just received by FOR RENT. - Two meely furnished

Aug 15-dif

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be cradicated by this incomparable purifier. Sold by S. M. Irwin, the Live Drug-

CHEAP STORK.

Aug 22 d&wif

xecution.
This 28th day of August, A. D. 1879.
M. FORSTMYER.

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.** 

any other flour ever sold here Dec 18-dawtf

Are now opening an Elegant Stock of Ticks Denims Ducks Bleached and Brown Muslins, 21 yd. and 21 d. wide Steelings, Pill by Cale Muslins, Cation Flames, Checks, Chevios, Cotton Batting, Carpet Chain, Yarns and Flames, Cotton Batting, Carpet Chain, Yarns and Flames, Cotton Batting, Carpet Chain, Yarns and Flames, Carpet Chain, Carpet nels, nearly all at last year's prices, and all at the VERY LOWEST.

Worsted is very complete.

Ask for our 50-Cent Corset, and you will see

The balance of our stock of Shetland Wool Shawls, a few Linen Dusters and Suits, and a few fine Parasols and other Summer Goods ARE TO BE SOLD! Our Unlaundried Shirt, at 90c, is anead of

any shown in Decatur. We show some excellent Gauze Undervests, for Isales and gents, at very reduced prices. 

# FERRISS FERRISS Decatur One Price Store Store

# Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

LL accounts agree that there has been an unusual demand for cheapty made or shoddy Li accounts agree that there as been a unusually to but of will such stail. It is stay there goods you pay out twice as much money in a year for your histeness show, and your dever have a pair that lits, because manufacturers of the sheap grades the no attribute to the liter work. We trust that people who buy shealed work will true to era new leaf in black out their work. their work. We trust that people who buy shotny work wit thri to be a new real in size bacter and practice true economy, by making quality the first consideration of their purchase of boots and shoes. At the popular Boot and shoe House of L L. Ferries you can get prime, solid and serviceable Boots and Shoes for as little hidney as you can buy cheaper grades elsewhere this goods are made from the choicest materials, over improved styles of Lasts, graded in size nis goods are muco from the concess materials, over improved styles of that's, grader in signature and widths to fit the human foot properly send no shoddy nor deception there. Mr. Ferriss does none-price each business, and can afford to sell yery low. You can find the largest asportment to the city of strictly good goods at Ferriss. New Shoe Store, 13 East Main street, being just ucross the street from his buf store and one floor eact of Millikin's Bank.

### LARGE INVOICES NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY L. L. FERRISS. June 20th, 1879-d&wtf

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, LLL., August 28, 1879.

GRAIN MARKET.

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The managed, SHEEP PELTS Affice

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10 1, He at of dagged by the City Council o the sty of because that sower be constructed that one of 230 feet, moreographes, in Broadway, from the control side of Maon street with the formula crosses Broadway, between Practic and East Long streets, in the city of Decautic Maon single that the planting affection to be a supported by the city of the control some planting that is, industed by the city of the c concern compliance with concerning relating the to, a city equiril and not still like r's other. Edit sewer shall he ral turation.

surfneer's office. 'Sids sow'r ghalt be purd for provided in the purchase of the published in the local results a published in the local results a published in the local results a published in the local results and in the local results are results as a surfneed and labor, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder; and when such bids are received they shall be submitted on a day to be named in said advertisement to the city council, who shalt determine the lowest responsible bid and let the years to the lowest responsible bidder by witten contract Pronded, the cuty council shall have the right to reject any and all bids; and provided further, that the person or persons to whom such contact shall be let will be required to execute good and sufficient bond to the city of Decatur, conditioned for the faithful performance of such contract.

Conditioned to such a such contract.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage.

Possed August 21, 1876. Passed August 21, 1876. Approved August 22, 1879. Published August 23, 1879 Attest JS Hawes, Register pro tem.

NOTICE TO

# **CONTRACTORS**

CEALED PROPOSALS wait be received by the city of Beatur until Sept. 3rd, 1874, at moon, for the construction of a Sewer out Broadway, from Mason street to the branch crossing Broadway, between Prairie and East Main streets. All this mast include the fornishing of all the material and the performance of all the work. Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Engineer's office. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

S. BURGESS, City Engineer.

Aug. 23—4104

Query:-Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 18 carata fine, for the [April 11-dtf same money\* SHELLABARGER'S PAIGHT PROCESS flour

saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than

# TRUSTEES SALE.

WHEREAS, Ira Fridley, of the county of shelby and State of Illinois, did, on the first day of May, A. D. 1873, by deed of trust convey to Issuer I. Peddogoni and Lunfer Burrows, trustees, the southwest quarter of the property of the county of the property of the county of the count which trust deed was made to secure the pay which trust deed was made to secure the pay ment of one, promisery note of said Frida of even date therealth, payable IIvo year after date to the one in of Asaliel P. Griswoi in the same of a lower in interest from date; to be a lower in the control of the cover head; produced to the cover periodical sum of the lower in the Asal effects, it is position of the the distance of interest when day, it is pained or interest when day, it shall so law

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In the order of a in. in its early are the famous the court house, in the city of December.

door of the court house, in the city of Decetur, county of Macor, and State of Illinois, sed at public action to the highest bidder, for each, the above described premises, and all fright title, interest and/courty of redecaption of said in Fridley, lik heirs, successors or assigns therein, for the purposes and in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust in Profession of the Lindois and the contract of the purpose of the contract of the contract

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss Man Gourt Ro.

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May L. Campbell & Heblind L. Roberts et al Foreclosure No. 10,307.

D'BLIC NOTICE is bereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the flay term, A. B. 189, J. John A. Brown, Maker III Chancery for said court, on

Wednesday, the 20th day of August,

Wednesday, the 20th day of August,
A. D. 1877,
at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public ancion, to the highest bidder, for easi, at the west outside door of the court house, in Decitur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit La, No. Rive (i), in block No. Iwo (2), in Berry H. Caspen'ra bras addition to Departur, Illinois, to-wit La, Sing, Rive (ii), in block No. Iwo (2), in Berry H. Caspen'ra bras addition to Departur, Illinois, tagether fit at any singline princes and hereditaments thereanto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decartur, Ill., July 38th, 1878.

JOHN A. BROWN.

Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois, in favor for Edward McQuiffer, administrator of Mary Thompson, decensed, and against F. M. Hull, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit. Lot No. two (2), in block No. sixteen (16), in Indironal Addition to two town conveniences. block No. sixteen (16), in Railroad Addition to the term towe etc.) of Macon, according to the term town to the said towns to Macon, counting to Italy Macon, changed the said towns to Macon, changed the said towns to the said at the West entrunce of the courthouse in Decatur, it was tentrunce of the courthouse in Decatur, it was to chock p. m. of each said to the said to the

Aug. 14--d3w

5 AND 10c COUNTERS!

TO THE TRADE:—The live husiness men of the day are starting these counters. We are the Originators and Readquarters! We have the only two Exclusive 5 and loc Jobbins. Houses in the U.S. EST Send for Catologue and particulars.

BUTLER BROS. 200 and 202 Randolph Street, CHM'169. Also, 26 and 28 Chauncy St., Boston. Aug. 14 - dtmo.

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PER BROWNE &C

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

MR. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW of the wholesale and retail china and queensware store in opera block is still in New York laying Chicago, to which the public generally is in a big stock of goods for the fall and

winter trade. LITTA is here.

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YLE.

FALL SUITS made to order at B. Stine's. THE festive oyster is on deck in Deca-

Don't fail to hear the new American queen of song at the opera house to-night. THE mammoth WEEKLY REPUBLICAN was issued to-day.

Go to Niedermyer on the mound for

DECATUR extends a welcome hand to all delegates to the Y. M. C. A. State Convention and all their friends.

STILL LEFT a few of those 50c, and 90c bed-spreads at the Cheap Store. dtf

You ought to get Arbuckle to put you up one of those beautiful wrought and malicable funces. It is the cheapest fence

A LARGE number of extra chairs are being placed in the lower part of the opera house to-day for the Litta concert to

A. Booth's celebrated systems at Barnes Bros., 25 East Main street, 28-d0d

MRS HATTIE BLANTON'S gift enterprise drawing will take place at the court house in this city on Monday, Sept. 1st, at 2

LARGE lot of Corsets of various qualities are being closed out at very low prices at the Popular New Xork Store. Aug. 20—d&wtf

Shoe Fly Hose Co. of that place appeared the oldest residents of Maroa township, in uniform and made a run of 400 yards in settling at that place soon after the Illi-631 seconda

Ten famous "Telephone nickel cigar, LADIES will find a dazzling display of

the latest millinery asvelties at Miss A. Miller's. FERRISS's new shoe store is next door

to Millikin's bank; one price; goods marked in plain figures; new gonds asriving daily; low prices but good goods Go with the Wabash excursionists to

Niagara Falls and Toronto next Tuesday noon. Fare for the round trip \$7.50, tickets good to return on the 9th. FRESH OVSTERS in all styles, at Barnes

& Bro.'s, Martin's old stand, 26 East Main 29 - 16Only 5 cents is all you have to pay for a quick and safe ride to the depot in the

St. Nicholes 'bus. The carriage calls for passengers in all parts of the city. Hoor SEIRTS, the latest styles, made to order, on short notice, at Goldburg's,

19-dtf West Wood street. Dunian the fair at Quincy, commenc-

ing Sept 9th to 12th the Wabash railway ing half fair. BRACKLETS, in large quantities, plain

and fancy nickel plated and rubber, from CHEAP STORE. ic unward

Call at J. B. Winebrenner's, on the south side of the city park, for fresh Bultimore oysters, just received, served as you like form, at all house-chesps

THE CASE Of the City of Decatulins. Michael Garroll, agreeted on the 26th inst, on a charge of violating the liquor tice Peake this afternoon at one o'clock. ble influence. No egotism, flattery, van-By agreement of the attorneys in the case ity, or condemnation find utterance from to these attractions, there will be a grand

H, MURLLER & Co.'s.

deaf persons are made to hear distinctly It is called the "Audiphone." The deaf take it between their teeth and immediately they can hear, the sound being son-veyed to the neighbor the reasts. Porria Journal.

A R. ARBUCKLE, the agent of the Champion Iron Fence Co., is putting up a handsome waought iron feace for H. Post on South Main street, and an equally handsome veranda railing for J. G. Shep. The Champion is the prettiest, best and style which their cook understands so cheapest fence over built in Decatur.

LADIES wishing to have any crocheting done to order will please call on Goldburg on West Wood street, where they can she have say and all the latest styles of hoopskirts made to order.

Aug. 29-dtf

Tuz Champaign papers announce that Dr. Goedenie, of Pecatur, with delivers lectum on, "Common Sense," the miles southwest of Champaign, on Friday night of next week. Admission, 25 cents; the proceeds to be used in liquidating a debt on a church in that vicinity.

Frances's new shoe store is next door to Millikin's bank; one price; goods marked in plain figures; new goods arriving daily Lew prices, but good goods only, d&wtf

THE accidental killing of the Frenchmun near Blue Mound the other day was a very sad affair. Our experience and the history of the past eighteen centuries incline us to believe that no matter how well you treat a shotgun, nor how you bring it up, it will being the stuffing out of you the very first time it gots a chance.

of picture frames, at the lowest prices in Attogether these goods cannot be dupli-J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s. Aug. 22--d&w1w

· . X. M. C. A. State Confestion. The seventh annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. of Illinois will be held in the basement of the First M. E. Church during the next three days. The convention will convene at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, when an organization will be effected by the election of officers for the ensuing year. To-night there will be an evening of song, conducted by R. S. Thain, of

cordially invited. The following delegates to the conven tion had reported in person at Secretary Davis' office up to 12 o'clock to-day:

Davis' office up to 12 c clock to C. E. D. Ingersoll, Cleveland, O. Robt. Weidensall, Chicago. E. M. Sharp, Mason City. Dr. J. M. Taylor. "D. G. Smith, Rocktord. Edwin Wilson, Springfield.

Herman Willey, W. F. Bischoff, G. D. Kalb, L. Matheny, T. J. Shannon, Mt. Carmel.

M. Colley, Streater. Eveland, Jacksonville. R. D. Rusell, J. S. Wadsworth, " Prof. G. W. Bailey, of the Ill. College,

Jacksonville.
Mrs. Newell, Paris.
Miss Roma Newell, do.
Mrs. Peabody, do.

A. S. McCord, It is expected that over 100 delegates will be present to-morrow and Saturday. The celebrated "Carmen Family," of Champaign, will arrive here this afternoon

### THE DARK MESSENGER.

and be present at the meeting this even-

Beath of One of the Wealthiest and Sidest Citlezas of Mares Township.

Last evening we received a note from Mr. John S. Sargent announcing that William R. Wulters died at his residence near Maroa at 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, August 27. The deceased had been nois Central railroad was built through this county, 18 or 20 years ago. He ownis sold only at W. C. Armstrong's drug ed at the time of his death about 615 acres of finely improved farming land, and worth \$50,000. He was born in Ohio leaves a wife and four or five children. Mr. Walters was a social person, and was the fast friend of all who gained his confidence. The time of the funeral has not yet been announced.

A Parewell Party. The magniticent country residence of Mr. Eli Ulery, in Mt. Zion township, was blaze of light, and the scene of very much genuine hospitality, fun and pleasure, last night. It was the occasion of a farewell social party, given in honor of Miss Gertie Ulery, who in September will leave for Monticello Seminary, at Godfrey, Illinois, where she will resume her studies. Terpischoreau pleasures were the principal feature of the evening -Prof. Leonard's new Italian band furnished the music The following is a list of the guests furnished by our special reporter: Misses Alice Tyler, Notic Large, Mary Strohm, Fannie, Nannie, Annie and will sell round trip tickets for \$6,10, be- Maria Smith, Hattie Hardy, Annie Stamper, Sophie Halleck, Ella Bialock and Rettie Blalock, Messrs. Wash. Smith, W. Smith, B. Blalock, D. Blalock, Benjamin Smith, M. Morrison, P. Brueck, Bert Hardy, Charles Tyler, J. W. Baker, Chas. Adams, Chas. Musser, Ed. Goode, George Strohm and Chas, M. Fletcher.

THE Washington Republican says that Francis Murphy, the christian temperance reformer, who is to lecture at the tabernacle in this city on Friday evening, September 12th, is a speaker who holds sewerage, drainage and ventilation, call charity and gratitude are conspicuous in and \$11,450 in the speed ring. In the the beautiful garlands of thought which he twines before his audience, interspers-Aug. 27-dtf

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Knights of Monor. Regular meeting to-night. Members

requested to be present. Visiting brothers cordially invited. C. C. CARTER, Dictator. H. A. Wood, Reporter.

Is you think it is too early for oysters just go to Barnes Bros.' restaurant, and try a fry or a stew, got up in the elegant well We've been there-hence these remarks. We never ate a better fry

\$24 will buy a D. B. B. A. shotgun, Lefancheaux action, the strongest action made, warranted for one year, at

aug 27-dif H. MUELLER & Co.'s. Gur those pictures of your house fram-

ed at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s—the cheapest and finest stock of frames to be found in aug22d&wiw the city.

BEFORE you purchase your boots and shoes call at Wessels', as he is closing out his stock at cost, and save 30 per cent. 28-duf

D. B. Shotguns, genuine twist barrels. walnut stock, B A. Swivel Locks, at \$13; also common double guns for \$7 50, at aug 27-dif H. MURLLER & Co.'s

Two for a Quarter all Around. We have bunched all those dark, solid colored and striped 15 and 20 cent hose, and are offering them at two pairs for a quarter. These are the best bargains in hose ever offered in Decatur. We continue the sale of those 5c. white and 10c. LARGEST STOCK and grantestamentment fancy ladies' misses' and children's hose cated anywhere at the prices named. CHEAP STORE dtf

An Important Work Nearing Completion. The people of Decatur are probably ance of the improvements now in course of completion at the city water works.-Most people (especially those who use uncertain, but few are aware of the ex- to Mr. Frank Haines are Bramble securing the job. The new filter is a continuation of the

THE NEW FILTER.

s a cross excavation 100 feet in length, making the new filter bear the shape of flows from the surrounding sand and gravel beds. The walls of the filter are formed of heavy oak timbers, belted together with iron rode, and extending to the heighth of the water. From the top of the timber walls a brick arch is sprung. the brick being laid in cement, and the whole work, when completed, covered with earth. As might naturally be supposed, the job of keeping the water out of the pit while the work is going on, is no slight task. To do this a centrifugal pump, operated by steam, is used, and | targe number of scats on sale at Abbott's the way it throws water is wonderful to jewciry store, where gallery tickets may ill for a long time with asthma, but died behold. The brick used in the arch have be purchased also. Ar Jacksonville Tuesday night the of phlegmonic crysipelas. He was one of a history. Tuey were burned in Decatur twenty-five years ago, under the personal supervision of H. B. Plant, the engineer of the I C R.R., and were used in the piers of the bridge over the Sangamon river. When the bridge was rebuilt this summer the brick piers were replaced with stone, is thought to have possessed property and the old material purchased by the filter contractors. The brick are of an about 1819, has been married twice, and excellent quality, and well-fitted for the purpose.

The work of excavating will be finished to-day or to-morrow, and the remainder will soon be done. The whole work has been done under the eye of one of the contractors,-Mr. W. H. Bramble,-who never leaves the ground during working hours. To his masterly skill in pushing work is due the fact that the contract will be completed in about half the time contemplated. He understands so well how to handle men, and how to divide work, that he is able to accomplish in a given time much more than any inexperienced man could possibly do. But the speed with which the work has been pushed has not in the least interfered with its quality. From all that can be seen the job will be well and substantially done, and when it is completed the city will have an abundant supply of pure, clear water for all purposes. About 40 men and 15 teams are employed on the work, and it is well worth a trip to the river to see the way in which the job is being

The Peorts Fair.

done.

Mr. L B. Greenleaf, a stirring gentleman from the central city, anchored in the REPUBLICAN office this morning, with huge bundle of advertising bills under his arm. He is here in the interest of the Peoria fair, which commences Sept. 22, and ends on the 27th. The celebrated trotters Rarus and Hopeful, the fastest pacers, Sleepy Tom and Mattie Hunter, and many other noted horses have been best fair boom" in the state.

Private School. The first term of Mrs. Gage's Private School for Girls will begin on Wednesday,

Sept. 3, 1879, at No. 6 North Water street, up stairs, over Jennison's jewelry store. Terms-\$10.00 and \$12 50 per quarter of ten weeks. For further information concerning the

Boston, Mass. 25 d&wiw

You SEE THEM .-- Before buying a cooking stove, go to Ashby & Andress' and see their renowned "Early Breakfast," also the "Astral" hard coul base burner Aug. 19-d4mos

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### THE PARHIONABLE EVENT.

Mile. Litta, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Von Elsner, her sieter, Miss Jessie and Prof. Benter, arrived in the city not aware of the magnitude and import- this morning from Danville, and will appear at the opera house this evening before a large and fashionable audience in one grand concert, assisted by the best city water; know that the supply of this local talent of Decatur. This will be the useful liquid has of late been somewhat opening event of the season, and the pense and labor necessary to correct the people of this community indifficulty. The old filter, put in five years debted for the enviable privilege of ago, is 100 feet in length, and yields a hearing the queen of song in a series of limited supply of pure, clear water, but her very best selections. As stated elsethe increase in the number of water takers | where, Litta will join the Strakosch grand during the past year or two has been so opera company in the full, and this will great that the supply afforded by this be the last opportunity the public will means has been easily exhausted, and the have to hear her, as she will sing only in only way to keep up with the demands of the large cities when she leaves for the the city for a sufficient amount of good, East. To-night, let it be remembered, clear water, was to enlarge the filter. The Litta will appear in her great specialty, city council, therefore, decided to increase the "Mad Scene," from the opera of Lucia the filter to five times its present size and di Lammermoor, in which she made her capacity, and the work was immediately reputation as a leading singer in Europe let to the lowest bidder, Messrs. Tuttle & and America. In this connection it is proper to state that Litts will have the honor of opening Smith's new opera old one, connecting with it on the east house, which has been repaired and reand extending 300 feet. At the east-end | decorated within the past few weeks, and presents a bright and tasteful appearance. The ceiling, in its bright tints, colored the letter T. The filter is nothing more borders, and elegant wreaths and porthan a huge well, into which the water | traits, is a marvel of the painter's art, and is as beautiful as it is attractive. The fresco work is done in excellent taste, and the wood work has been repainted, grained and polished very handsomely. Everything about the hall is clean and neat, and all present this evening, will venture to predict, pronounce it charmingly beautiful. Those who have not yet se cured their tickets for the concert should do so before the doors open, as the rush will be great. There still remains a

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Gapt. W. P. Emery, of Springfield, was among the culiers at the REPUBLICAN office to day

Prof. A. Beuter, of Bloomington, occompanyist for M'ile Litta, dropped in on us to day, and gave us a few minutes chat. Miss II. Davidson, who taught in the

second ward school building last year, arrived here to-day from Kentucky, where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. Mary E Henderson, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roach for several weeks, will leave for Bowling Green, Mo., this afternoon. Miss Jessie Gillett, of Elkhart, and Miss

Belle Ewing arrived in the city at noon from Sprugfield, where they have been on a protracted visit to friends. Miss Gillett will remain in Decatur a short time as the guest of her friend, Miss Ewing.

Frank Haines has made a contract with Mile Litta to sing at the following named places under his management: Danville, Aug. 27, Decatur, 28; Champaign, 29. Jacksonville, 30; Quincy, Sept. 1; Peoria, Sept. 2. On Sept. 10th, Litta will open the new opera house at Springfield.

Among the latest arrivals at the St. Nicholas are the following: Mlle Marie Litta, Mrs. Von Elsner, Miss Jessie Von Elsner and Prof. Beuter, Bloomington, M. Chase, St. Louis; C. M. Fay, Pittsburg, and Wm. P. Emery, Springfield.

Since his return last Monday from western Missouri, Mr. Charles Tuttle has been indisposed, and was compelled to remain indoors until last evening when he took a Plank has the reputation of being a firststroll down town. Mr. Tuttle has come class mechanic, and is doing a good pleted his railroad contracts in Missouri very satisfactorily, and is now waiting for other roads to conquer. Frank Tuttle is home for the full and winter campaign.

Miss Eva Pratt, of Connecticut, who the trial was postponed until Friday his lips. Prayer and faith guide him all exhibition of Edison's Electric Light, a three early train this morning. Last even novelty running race, and a balloon ing in honor of her departure, her conservation of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and second on the way. His trust in God is sublime, and second on the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second on the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way. His trust in God is sublime, and the way is the way. His trust in God is sublime, and a second of the way is the way is the way. His trust in God is sublime, and the way is ins, Misses Nettie, Nellie and Ada Pratt, that they always have on hand a complete outshone anything of the kind ever undertaken on Church street A large num market in the city. Call and we them ber of Miss Eyn's friends remained at Mr. Pratt's residence all night, and accompanied her to the train which reached

the city at 4 o'clock this morning. During Miss Von Elsaer's stay at Toledo last week the met Prof. Underner and Mr. A. B. Hough, her old Clevel and friends, and with them completed some husiness arrangements. She will sing m For further information concerning the school, Mrs. Gage can be consulted at the residence of Mr. Dustman, West Main street.

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### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Called Meeting-The Resignation of Prof. U. P. Hay Accepted.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DECATUR, ILLS., Aug. 28, 1879. Present, Messrs ! Durfee, Ullrich, Barnes and Clerk.

The following communication was read. DECATOR, ILL., Aug. 26, 1879. tlemen of the Board of Education, Decatur,

Illinos:

I wish hereby to lay before you my resignation of the position given me by yourselves in the high school. Since my last visit here another situation has been offered me without my seeking, and on account of the better salary and better facilities for following my chosen line of facilities for following my chosen line of work, as well as from considerations of duty, I should like to be free to accept the offer. With this explanation I lay the case before you for your consideration. Whatever the decision, allow me to express my thanks for your courtesy thus far shown me.

Yours truly, After considerable discussion the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the resignation of O. P.

Hay be accepted. Supt. was directed to have new fence built at the 3rd and 4th ward.

On motion, adjourned. H. B. Dunfen, Pres't. E A GASTWAY, Clerk.

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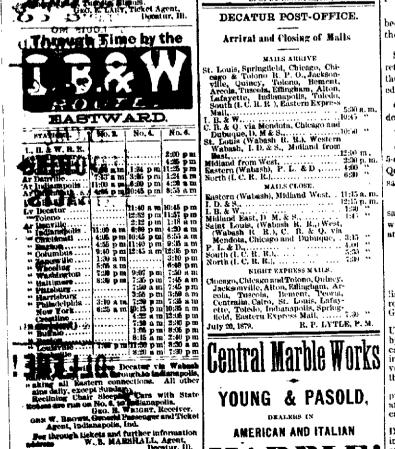
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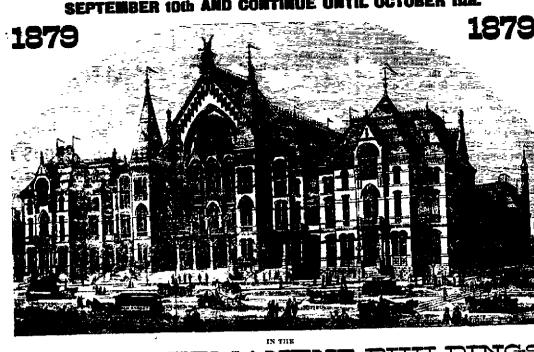
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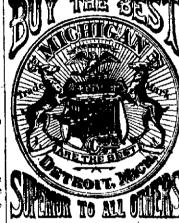
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### Physician and Surgeon, S North Water St., opposite 1st M. E. church. July 18 wtf

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### Election Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Town or DECATER,

The legal voters of the town of Decatur aforessid, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, will take notice—and they are, by the corporate authorized and officers of said town authorized by law to call special elections therein, of the said town of Decatur, hereby notified—that on the 2nd day of Angust, A. D. 1379, a petition of ten legal voters of the said town of ilecatur, resident therein, was presented to the said corporate authorities and officers authorized by law, to call special elections therein of the said town of Decatur; which petition is in the words and agures following to-wit:

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To the corporate authorities and officers authorized by law to call elections therein, of the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of tilinois—William B. Chambers, Supervisor, George P. Hardy, Town Clerk, and James L. Peake, a Justice of the Peace:

Whereas, the said town of Decatur has heretofore issued its bonds, bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent, per annum, in aid of the construction of railroads as follows, to-wit: \$25,000 in aid of the Mouncello Kallway, and \$25,000 in aid of the Decatur, Sullivan & Mattoon Hailway; which said bonds are binding, subusting, legal obligations of said town:

And whereas, the said bonds remain outstanding and unpaid;
And whereas, the holders of the said bonds as the undersigned potitioners are reliably informed, propose to surrender the said bonds for caucellation upon the condition that the said town will issue in lieu or place thereof, in due form and in pursuance of law, fix funded coupon bonds in sums of one thought funder each, numbered from one to fixty, to funded coupon bonds in sums of one thought funder lows, to wit:

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Those numbered from 41 to 45, both inclusive, in inheteen years.

Those numbered from 46 to 54, both inclusive, in twenty years after their respective dates.

And that on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1870, the superpose, the town clerk, a justice of the peace of the said town of Decatur, to pether with not less than fifteen local voters of the said town of Decatur, the first bearing town of the said town of Decatur, the first bearing the first town clerk of the said town of Decatur, the first town clerk of the said town of Decatur, the first two the said town of Decatur, the first two the said town of Decatur, a statement in writing in words and incore following, to wit:
STATE OF ILLINOIS,
MACON COUNTY,
TOWN OF DECATUR,

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

MAGON COUNTY.

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The undersigned, William B. Chambers, supervisor, Geo. P. Hardy, soura cleak, and das.

L. Peako, a justice of the peace of said top a of necatur, and fifteen other logal voters of raid town of Decatur, do hereby reprotest and town of Decatur, do hereby reprotest and town of Decatur is necessary in pursuance of a printing of the logal voters of the said town of Decatur, and resident therein, heretofore presented to the said supervisor, town clerk and justice of the peace, and to carry into effect the objects of said potition; which petition is in words and figures following:

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And we request that the said town clerk preare and preserve to be printed ballots for said election in the following form, namely: "For issuing the bonds." The bonds to be issued to be executed on behalf of said town as prostical by law. And that said clerk also propare and cause to be printed a ballot in the words following: "Arsainst issuing the bonds." Insue Shellabarger, J. Q. A. Odor, Theo, Hidebrandt, L. A. Buckingham J. H. Lewis, "Theo, Nelson, Theomas Lee, W. A. Dennis.

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And we hereby request and pray that a special election be held in said town on the 2d day of September, A. D. 1879, at the voting place in said town where town meetings are held, for the purpose mentioned in the foregoing petition, and that notice thereof be given in pairsu-

mee of law. Witness our hands this 6th day of August.

W. B. Chambers, Supervisor.

(A. P. Harly, Town Cierk.
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Theo, Hidebrandt,
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